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DDTR Staff Meeting

Thursday, 26 April 1973

1400-1540

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In Attendance: Messrs. Cunningham, [REDACTED],

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First item of business was a briefing by the DDTR on his three-hour meeting with the CIA Management Committee.

Points Covered:

- (1) Parts one through five -(of outline) which identified OTR's staffing, budget, workload, etc.;
- (2) The CTP - no questions from the Committee;
- (3) Language Development Program - OTR has good Language School; General Walters agreed with the idea of sanctions;
- (4) Information Science Center - status of the training;
- (5) Rotation: DCI wants top-flight people to be sent to OTR; noted that part of the problem lay in the "ridiculous career service system" and DD/M&S "do something about it";
- (6) The [REDACTED] OTR must make a careful study of the use of the Station versus [REDACTED] DCI does not at this time think [REDACTED] training can be given up;
- (7) AIS - and the session with students and instructors.

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General Comments:

Need for integration of the entire analytical process from collection to consumers' use. Need for the opinions of outsiders (DCI does not have too much faith in management experts from the academic world). DCI believes in self-development (everyone is a student). Area knowledge is an ongoing part of life.

Impact on OTR:

Fewer people;  
New courses;  
New people with qualifications to teach new subjects;  
OTR to turn more toward the "think-tank" - an Institute);

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More programs for large audiences (Auditorium; outside speakers);  
Make the [REDACTED] more cost-effective or give it up;  
Continue to teach the skills.

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Noted the excellent Black candidate for the CTP; scored well in  
PATB; M.A. in Modern Languages; ex-Marine; from Mississippi. Also mentioned  
staff's thinking about a third interim assignment for DDI - designated CTs.

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Considering a program on Energy crisis for Senior Seminar alumni.  
DCS is putting on a three-day program, a joint affair with OTR; OTR to  
sponsor a presentation in the Auditorium on 22 May, also on the Energy  
crisis.

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The Weekly Report - noted tight deadline; asked for closer attention  
to complete details in reporting items; noted that negative reports  
are required.

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Summarized the visit of an OTR group to FBI's Quantico training faci-  
lity; recommends liaison at the DTR level with FBI.

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Noted SIWA's progress in arranging a discussion with [REDACTED]

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